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SUBJECT: QUEBEC AUTO INSURANCE

REF: MONTREAL 890

1. QUEBEC AND ONTARIO INSURANCE AUTHORITIES HAVE BEEN MEETING TO WORK OUT ARRANGEMENTS THAT WOULD ENTITLE NON-RESIDENT DRIVERS FULL COMPENSATION UNDER QUEBEC'S AUTO INSURANCE PROGRAM FOR ACCIDENTS OCCURRING IN QUEBEC. AS WE REPORTED IN REFTEL, QUEBEC'S PLAN NOW LIMITS COMPENSATION FOR NON-RESIDENTS ACCORDING TO DEGREE OF GUILT, WITH NO RECOURSE TO COURTS FOR FURTHER PAYMENT.

2. PRESS REPORTS HAVE SUGGESTED THAT AGREEMENT WITH ONTARIO WOULD SERVE AS MODEL FOR AGREEMENTS WITH OTHER CANADIAN PROVINCES AND US STATES. CONSULATE INQUIRY WITH QUEBEC GOVERNMENT SHOWS THAT NO OFFICIAL CONVERSATIONS HAVE BEEN HELD, HOWEVER, WITH AUTHORITIES IN NEIGHBORING STATES. GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS SAY THEY ARE NEVERTHELESS AWARE OF INTERESTS OF US MOTORISTS IN QUEBEC INSURANCE PROGRAM AND HAVE INVITED CONSULATE OFFICER TO ATTEND AS OBSERVER MEETING SCHEDULED FOR NEXT WEEK TO DISCUSS INSURANCE ISSUE WITH INTERESTED PARTIES AND REPRESENTATIVES OF NEIGHBORING PROVINCES.

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